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Date: March 6, 2013

To: Members of the City Council

From: Brian Miles, Chair, Durham Environmental Affairs Board

Subject: Durham Environmental Affairs Board 2011 - 2012 Annual Report

The Durham Environmental Affairs Board (EAB) advises and assists the Board of County Commissioners and the City Council on matters related to the environment. The attached 2011 - 2012 Annual Report summarizes the activities of the EAB and is provided in conformance with the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

The EAB has been busy over the past two year grappling with issues related to energy, water quality, sustainability and solid waste. We have pursued issues both in response to requests from Durham City and County officials and from those identified internally by the EAB as critically important to environmental public and ecosystem health. We have added several new, active members and this has helped to reenergize the board as we look forward to 2013 activities.

The last section of the report outlines our goals for the coming year, but we are also eager to solicit ideas from you on areas that you believe are timely and important. Thank you for the opportunity to discuss our activities.

cc: Environmental Affairs Board Members
Steven L. Medlin, AICP, City-County Planning Director

Attachment

Durham Environmental Affairs Board 2011 – 2012 Annual Report